Route 7; Frederick, Md. 21701

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Dear Jim,

Your mailing of stats od clippings on the Minutemen and Beckham arrived today. I have great interest in both. Some of what those Beckham clips had were news to me, as was some of the Minuteman detail. Please keep it up.

The first pages, whatever it was, was torn off. There was noting included save the twice-stapled clippings, the the Harry Jones story on top. According to Eric Norden, who is doing a Minuteman piece for Playboy, Jones is a solid guy who is doing a book on the Minutemen.

From these clippings I take it that you or someone else out there has or is developing an interest in these violence boys. If so, I have sent Hal a little bit and Steve Burton in LA has a little more on your local and more violent Rangers. Fitting also is The National States Rights Party (last chapter, Oswald in New Orleans) on whom some of Hals boys have done done work and I have a continuing interest. Bill Barry is doing a piece on them for Sage.

I have sent Hal a set of reports that relate but, because I have promised them to someone else, cannot be use publicly. You may be interested in seeing them. I have a tape of other statements by the major subject in them and he has by now or soon will be approached to overcome his fear and make it all a matter of private record, but record, if he can be made to understand it is his insurance policy.

There has been no word from Harv. I understand he has disconnected his phone, perhaps moved. How about letting me know what you know?

Some time ago I asked Hal to check the records out there on the arrest of one Jack A. Youngblood (Walter A.). He has been too busy. Can you get me copies of what there is. This could fit very well, as Hal can explain. Penn is supposed to have gone to see Youngblood, but his Craig activity and his silence make me believe he may not have, at least yet.

Again, thanks, and best regards,